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## **CLAIMS**

## What is claimed is:

1) A revised string arrangement for a musical instrument utilizing a first string with a first diameter, a second string with a second diameter larger than the first diameter, a third string with a third diameter larger than the second diameter, a fourth string with a fourth diameter larger than the third diameter, a fifth string with a fifth diameter larger than the fourth diameter, and a sixth string with a sixth diameter larger than the fifth diameter, in which replacement strings are selectively placed into a string placement arrangement including a first position, a second position adjacent to the first position, a third position adjacent to the second position, a fourth position adjacent to the third position, a fifth position adjacent to the fourth position, and a sixth position adjacent to the fifth position, comprising:

the sixth position strung with the first sting;

the fifth position strung with a replacement string smaller than the first string;

the fourth position strung with a replacement string slightly larger than the the first string;

the third position strung with a replacement string slightly smaller than the first string;

the second position strung with a replacement string smaller than the first string;

- 5 the first position strung with the fourth string.
- The revised string arrangement of claim 1, in which the first position string is tuned to the 'e' note; the second position string is tuned to the 'extra high b' note; the third position string is tuned to a 'high g' note; the fourth position string is tuned to the 'high d' note; the fifth position string is tuned to the 'extra high a' note and

the sixth position string is tuned to the 'high e' note.

- 3) A stringed instrument employing
  - a body;

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- a fingerboard attached to the body;
  - a head attached to the fingerboard;
  - a bridge attached to the body section;
  - a nut attached in association with the first end of the fingerboard;
  - a plurality of different size strings arranged in an order that is not sequentially arranged according to the size of the strings.
  - The strings include a 'high e' string, a 'extra high a' string, a 'high d' string, a 'high g' string, a 'extra high b' string and a 'e' string.
  - 4) The stringed instrument of claim 3, wherein the non-size string sequential order includes the 'high e' string located next to the 'extra high a string, located next to the 'high d' string, located next to the 'high g' string, located next to the 'extra high b' string, located next to the 'e' string.

- 5 5) A tuned string arrangement for a musical instrument with a first string position, a second string position adjacent to the first string position, a third string position adjacent to the second string position, a fourth string position adjacent to the third string position, a fifth string position adjacent to the fourth string position and a sixth string position adjacent to the fifth string position, the tuned string arrangement 10 comprising; a perfect fourth interval between the string of the sixth position tuned to 'high e' and the string of the fifth position tuned to 'extra high a,' and a perfect fifth interval between the string of the fifth position tuned to 'extra high a' and the string of the fourth position tuned to 'high d,' and a perfect fourth interval between the string of the fourth position tuned to 'high d' and the string of the third position 15 tuned to 'high g,' and a major third interval between the string of the third position tuned to 'high g' and the string of the second position tuned to 'extra high b,' and a octave and a perfect fifth interval between the string of the second position tuned to 'extra high b' and the string of the first position tuned to 'e.'
- 6) A tuned stringed arrangement for guitar comprising a tuning sequence of 'high e,'
  20 'extra high a,' 'high d,' 'high g,' 'extra high b,' and 'e.'